

**Table A6. Annual U.S. Natural Gas Supply and Demand**

(Trillion Cubic Feet)

	Year														
	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
<b>Supply</b>															
Total Dry Gas Production.....	16.62	17.10	17.31	17.81	17.70	17.84	18.10	18.82	18.60	18.85	18.90	18.71	18.66	18.76	18.94
Net Imports .....	0.94	1.22	1.27	1.45	1.64	1.92	2.21	2.46	2.69	2.78	2.84	2.99	3.38	3.46	3.88
Supplemental Gaseous Fuels .....	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.12
Total New Supply.....	17.66	18.42	18.69	19.38	19.45	19.88	20.42	21.39	21.40	21.75	21.84	21.80	22.14	22.33	22.95
Total Underground Storage															
Opening.....	6.57	6.55	6.65	6.33	6.94	6.78	6.64	6.65	6.97	6.50	6.51	6.52	7.04	6.88	6.58
Closing .....	6.55	6.65	6.33	6.94	6.78	6.64	6.65	6.97	6.50	6.51	6.52	7.04	6.88	6.58	6.54
Net Withdrawals .....	0.02	-0.10	0.33	-0.61	0.16	0.14	-0.01	-0.32	0.46	-0.01	-0.01	-0.52	0.16	0.31	0.04
Total Supply .....	17.68	18.32	19.02	18.77	19.61	20.02	20.42	21.08	21.86	21.74	21.84	21.28	22.30	22.63	22.99
Balancing Item <sup>a</sup> .....	-0.47	-0.29	-0.22	-0.05	-0.58	-0.47	-0.14	-0.37	-0.28	0.23	0.12	-0.02	-0.94	-0.35	0.01
Total Primary Supply .....	17.21	18.03	18.80	18.72	19.03	19.54	20.28	20.71	21.58	21.96	21.95	21.26	21.36	22.28	23.00
<b>Demand</b>															
Lease and Plant Fuel.....	1.15	1.10	1.07	1.24	1.13	1.17	1.17	1.12	1.22	1.25	1.20	1.16	1.23	1.23	1.23
Pipeline Use.....	0.52	0.61	0.63	0.66	0.60	0.59	0.62	0.69	0.70	0.71	0.75	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.65
Residential.....	4.31	4.63	4.78	4.39	4.56	4.69	4.96	4.85	4.85	5.24	4.98	4.52	4.69	4.81	5.13
Commercial.....	2.43	2.67	2.72	2.62	2.73	2.80	2.86	2.90	3.03	3.16	3.21	3.00	3.06	3.16	3.33
Industrial (Incl. Nonutilities).....	5.95	6.38	6.82	7.02	7.23	7.53	7.98	8.17	8.58	8.87	8.83	8.69	8.63	9.49	9.81
Electric Utilities .....	2.84	2.64	2.79	2.79	2.79	2.77	2.68	2.99	3.20	2.73	2.97	3.26	3.11	2.95	2.85
Total Demand .....	17.21	18.03	18.80	18.72	19.03	19.54	20.28	20.71	21.58	21.96	21.95	21.26	21.36	22.28	23.00

<sup>a</sup>The balancing item represents the difference between the sum of the components of natural gas supply and the sum of components of natural gas demand.

Notes: Minor discrepancies with other EIA published historical data are due to rounding. Historical data are printed in bold; forecasts are in italics. The forecasts were generated by simulation of the Short-Term Integrated Forecasting System.

Sources: Historical data: Energy Information Administration: latest data available from EIA databases supporting the following reports: *Natural Gas Monthly*, DOE/EIA-0130; *Electric Power Monthly*, DOE/EIA-0226; Projections: Energy Information Administration, Short-Term Integrated Forecasting System database, and Office of Oil and Gas, Reserves and Natural Gas Division.